

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Original): An aluminum alloy for cutting processing, the aluminum alloy consisting essentially of Cu: 1 to 6.5 mass%, Zn: 0.05 to 1 mass%, Bi: 0.1 to 1 mass%, Sn: 0.1 to 1 mass%, B: 100 mass ppm or less.

Claim 2 (Original): The aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in claim 1, further including at least one element as a selective additional element selected from the group consisting of Fe: 0.05 to 1 mass%, Mg: 0.01 to 0.3 mass%, Si: 0.05 to 1 mass% and Ti: 0.01 to 0.5 mass%.

Claim 3 (Original): The aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in claim 2, wherein the Mg content is 0.01 to 0.1 mass%.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in ~~any one of claims 1 to 3~~ claim 1, wherein the Cu content is 4 to 6 mass%.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): The aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in ~~any one of claims 1 to 4~~ claim 1, wherein the Zn content is 0.1 to 0.5 mass%.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): The aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in ~~any one of claims 1 to 5~~ claim 1, wherein the Bi content is 0.2 to 0.8 mass%.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): The aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in ~~any one of claims 1 to 6~~ claim 1, wherein the Sn content is 0.2 to 0.8 mass%.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): The aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in ~~any one of claims 1 to 7~~ claim 1, wherein the B content is 3 to 10 mass%.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): An aluminum alloy worked article made of the aluminum alloy for cutting processing as recited in ~~any one of claims 1 to 8~~ claim 1.

Claim 10 (Original): The aluminum alloy worked article as recited in claim 9, wherein the aluminum alloy worked article is an extruded article.

Claim 11 (Original): The aluminum alloy worked article as recited in claim 9, wherein the aluminum alloy worked article is a cut article made by cutting a raw material.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): The aluminum alloy worked article as recited in ~~any one of claims 9 to 11~~ claim 9, wherein the aluminum alloy worked article has an anodic oxide coating formed on a surface thereof.